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IN REPLY REFER TO:

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April 8, 2015

The Honorable Peter J. Roskam  
Member, United States House of  
Representatives  
ATTN: (b) (6)  
2700 International Drive, Suite 304  
West Chicago, Illinois 60185

Dear Mr. Roskam:

This is in response to your facsimile of March 24, 2015 concerning Mr. (b) (6) desire to apply for an appointment/commission in the United States Navy.

We have been advised by staff members at Navy Recruiting District (NRD) Chicago, that Mr. (b) (6) was determined to be not qualified for Navy appointment/commission during his entrance processing.

A courtesy review of the medical information was submitted on Mr. (b) (6) behalf to this Headquarters' Medical Advisor for consideration. After reviewing all available information, the Medical Advisor recommended further processing was not warranted per Department of Defense (DoD) and Navy policy as outlined in the Manual of the Medical Department, Chapter 15. Subsequently, Mr. (b) (6) request was disapproved on April 7, 2015.

Upon receipt of your correspondence, the Medical Advisor has again reviewed this matter, and has affirmed the original determination was appropriate.

Of note, the Medical Advisor indicated Mr. (b) (6) may seek reconsideration with specific documentation from a specialist. Should Mr. (b) (6) require clarification of the additional medical documentation required, he should contact his local recruiter who can provide him a copy of the letter from the Medical Advisor. Mr. (b) (6) should remain in contact with his recruiter for assistance with his request for Navy appointment/commission. Mr. (b) (6) recruiter will also keep him informed of the progress and final determination of his request. No guarantee, however, can be given that Mr. (b) (6) will be accepted for appointment/commission in the Navy.

The Navy recognizes that the services of highly motivated applicants are lost due to physically disqualifying conditions.

However, adherence to the established physical standards serves to protect the interests of the individual as well as the Navy. Due to the nature of military life, physical conditions which may not be serious in a civilian environment could be disabling to a service member.

It is trusted that this information will be of assistance in responding to your constituent.

Sincerely,

(b) (6)

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